



WICMOAA NEWS

Whidbey Island Chapter MOAA

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MAR 2024

This month's Top News



**ADVOCACY
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**THIS MONTH'S
MEETING INFO**
THUR, Mar 14

President's Message

April is the national MOAA Advocacy in Action (AIA) what MOAA used to call storming the hill. This is an annual event the Washington State Chapter of Council president and one other from the state go to Washington D.C. This year the AiA will be conducted between April 15th to April 18th.

At the Hyatt Regency Crystal City Hotel this year, the members from all states will be trained by MOAA experts as to how to discuss with the legislators the selected key topics for the year.

The topics to head to the hill with this year are:

1. **The Major Richard Star Act (H.R. 1282/S.344)**
2. **BAH Restoration Act (H.R.2537/S.1823)**
3. **Protect TRICARE for Life**

What can you do to help?

As an Advocacy group it is important that legislators are reminded of our commitments

to the country and that we would appreciate the government keeping their promises to us.

As some of you know I will be having spine surgery March 5th, so I have asked our first Vice President Mike Bobeck to join my WSCOC Vice President - Leg Affairs, Heinz Haskins for this important adventure.

Wish them luck!



From our homes we can send canned letters MOAA has created for us.

Just go to: <https://moaa.quorum.us/>

We are an Officer ADVOCACY group and a major voice for all ranks, all uniformed services!

Key Dates in February

- ✚ **March 3 Navy Reserve Birthday**
- ✚ **March 13 K-9 Veterans Day.**
- ✚ **March 25 National Medal of Honor Day.**
- ✚ **March 26 Anniversary of the U.S. Victory at the Battle of Iwo Jima.**
- ✚ **March 29 Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day.**



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WICMOAA and MOAA are non-partisan.

Lunch Meeting at WGC on March 14th

WICMOAA Family

Chaplain Lura

Our Friend and lead Chaplain for the past two years, David George Lura has developed stage IV metastatic prostate cancer.



Please join me and the rest of the WICMOAA family with prayers for both David and Coleen as they move forward with challenging times.

Terry Sparks

Our President is having major surgery on his back. We all hope Terry's surgery is very successful and he can return to his youthful 30s. Please keep Terry in your prayers.

Happy Birthday to the March Birthdays Group

Juliann Althoff
David Gruber
David Korte
Conie Leonhardi



Anniversaries

Do you have information or questions about the WICMOAA Family? Give Dave a call at (360) 675-5171 or send him an email at dgcovich@comcast.net



Chaplain's Corner

I trust in Your power and grace that sustain and restore me. Loving Father, touch me now with Your healing hands, for I believe that Your will is for me to be well in mind, body, soul and spirit.

Cast out anything that should not be in me. Root out any unhealthy and abnormal cells. Remove all inflammation and cleanse my body by the power of Jesus' precious blood. Let the fire of Your healing love pass through my entire body to heal and make new any diseased areas, so that my body will

David George Lura



function the way You created it to function. Touch also my mind and my emotions, even the deepest recesses of my heart. Saturate my entire being with Your presence, love, joy, and peace, and draw me ever closer to You every moment of my life.

And Father, fill me with Your holy spirit and empower me to do Your works, so that my life will bring joy and honor to Your holy name.

I ask this in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen

- Prayer by St. Padre Pio



ADVOCACY FOCUS

Sign up for MOAA's Legislative Action Center. By signing up you can send a message to your legislator to support key MOAA advocacy issues. Keep sending those letters in.

<https://wicmoaa.com/moaa-initiatives>

Or you can go directly to the MOAA site to send the letters: <https://moaa.quorum.us/>



Contact your Congressional Representatives!
Switchboard: (866) 272 6622

Note: If you do not have a computer and/or internet access, feel free to contact anyone on the WICMOAA board of directors to ask for help.

TriCare remains under attack again!

**Please act and send the letters to protect
Active-Duty, Retired, and Former military
Benefits and Pay!**

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<https://larsen.house.gov/>

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Fax: (202) 225-4420

Hours: Monday-Friday

9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ET

Contact Congressman Rick Larson via email <https://larsen.house.gov/contact/>

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Suite 275

Bellingham, WA 98225

Phone: (360) 733-4500

Hours: By appointment only

ROWC Corner

The March ROWC meeting will be 11:00, March 20th. The meeting will be held at Esteban's Mexican Restaurant. We will be ordering off the menu.

We will order from the menu and pay individually. If you have questions, please contact Vicki Fisher at vfisher285@gmail.com.

Watch your emails for final details.

Pat



Officer Spouses Club

Does your Spouse know about the Officer Spouses Club. They do a lot of things as a club and for our community.



What is happening: <https://www.facebook.com/oscwi/>

Want to join, go to this web site.

<https://officerspousesclubwhidbeyisland.wildapricot.org/>

JROTC and WICMOAA Scholarship Updates

Oak Harbor High School has a new commander for the NJROTC unit, CDR James Allen Hall USN (Ret.) Welcome aboard!

Allen has promised to visit our chapter meeting soon.

Need information on our Scholarship or JROTC programs, give Bill a call at (360) 678-3888 or send him an email to bsgoodman@live.com

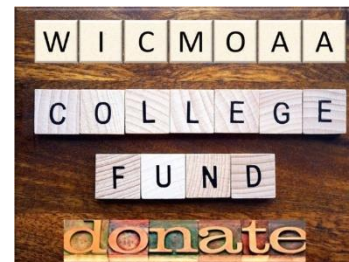


May 24th AFJROTC Awards Ceremony, 1830, at Arlington High School.

Also, in May sometime:

TBD: NJROTC Awards Ceremony, Oak Harbor High School.

TBD: Scholarship Awards Ceremony, Oak Harbor High School.



WICMOAA Playhouse Event

The play “Cash on Delivery” will be shown to WICMOAA members and guests on April 4th.

The play

Michael Cooney's riotous farce has all the ingredients for rib-tickling hilarity and offers a colorful selection of character roles. Eric Swan (aided by his Uncle George and unbeknown to his wife, Linda) has pocketed thousands of pounds through fraudulent DSS claims.

Get your tickets on-line at:

<https://wicmoaa.com/orders/ols/categories/special-events>

Or send/give Kate a check at a chapter meeting.

Surviving Spouse Corner

Passwords

Where is the post-it note I put that password on , or did I use the back of an envelope or is it on the grocery receipt. How can I change a password when I do not even know the old one?

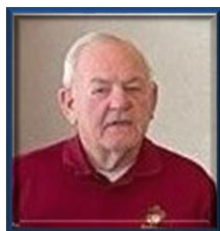
Sound familiar, we have all faced this problem and now let's talk about getting passwords organized, and making life easier for both you, and the people who will have to know them at a certain time in life.

How many on-line accounts do you have? That means you have just as many passwords!

Face the truth, it is a challenge to remember all your passwords.

Where do you keep your passwords? Written down on a piece of paper, kept in a word document or in a note application, or do you just not keep track of them!

Let's eliminate the worst way to keep track of them right off the bat: if you don't have a storing method for rapid recall if something happens to you, your family can be locked out of your accounts and devices forever. They could be cut off from benefits they need access to and to accounts they also use which you currently control.



When Norman McDonald (the lodger) opens the door to Mr. Jenkins, the DSS Inspector, deceptive mayhem follows — as do the undertaker, bereavement counselor, relationship counselor, Norman's fiancé, a mystery corpse, and the ominous Ms. Cowper.

You may write them down on a notebook page, on a well-worn piece of paper, possibly on a series of Post-It notes and reference these artifacts whenever a password is required. This is OK in a pinch but the days of creating a PIN number in your late teens and keeping it for the rest of your life are gone, with sites sometimes forcing you to refresh passwords more frequently or after a security breach. This means you must keep the paper up to date, which is a hassle itself, and resetting an account using the “forgot password email” option adds to the problem, especially if the email associated with that account is the one you are locked out of.

Make life easy on yourself, and your loved ones, try using a password manager.

A password manager will help you organize today and will also help your family in an emergency. Simply share the master password with a person you really trust or keep it somewhere safe that a person you trust and can find it in case of an emergency.

Your loved ones will certainly appreciate this ease of access to your accounts.

Have questions, give John a call.

Major John Darracott USMC (Ret) Phone:

360.328.4510

Or email to jdarra9912@aol.com

Health Corner

Fall Prevention



1. Improve your balance by participating in some form of exercise. Tai Chi is an excellent way to improve and stabilize one's balance. Yoga is also beneficial. The Senior Center offers classes in both. In the nasty weather make yourself about your home that you can take several times just to walk and maintain exercise.
2. Declutter – if you have scatter rugs – take them up and either place them in the garbage or recycle by donating them. Scatter rugs are one of the most dangerous items in your home that can contribute to falls. In the bathroom – use a washable mat that you take up after your shower so that there is nothing on the floor to trip over.
3. Be aware of your surroundings. If you have pets watch out for them as they will often get underfoot and can cause you to lose your balance and fall.
4. If you have a challenge standing – place and use a shower chair.
5. Know what drugs you take may cause side effects that can affect your balance and stability.
6. If your balance is at all unsteady – please, please use an assistive device. This is not a sign of weakness it is a sign that you are sensible and caring for yourself. Great when out and about but also at home when you are feeling a bit wanky. A cane allows you to be more acutely aware of

where you are stepping, and a walker provides additional balance assistance. I also have a cane with a seat that I use when I travel. Many places have nowhere to sit when you are fatigued. I have found that this allows me to continue to travel and to explore.

7. A big “no-no” – you can use your walker to rest and to sit on however, walkers are not a substitute for a wheelchair and not meant to be used as such. Exception – Rollinator makes a walker that converts to a wheelchair and is most convenient to travel with. You can find it on Amazon or at any medical equipment store. I also found a caregiver-controlled motor for the Rollinator that works very well and allows one to push a wheelchair with ease over carpet, grass and gravel. It is made in Great Britain and is, however, costly at about \$1000. The motor is a tad heavy. I found a suitcase that carries the apparatus, and it will go through airport security.
8. Know what medications side effects might alter your balance or perception.

Falls can be detrimental and one of the biggest causes of elderly hospitalization and lifelong disability. So, please take precautions even when you may believe you do not need them. Many medications have side effects that cause instability of gait and/or perception. PROACTIVE should be a major word in our vocabulary as we age.

Patricia Connell, RN, PhD. S`Surviving
Spouse Member of WICMOAA

**Health Line Massage Products 2 in 1 Rollator-Transport Chair w/Padded Seatrest,
Reversible Backrest and Detachable Footrests.**

WICMOAA New Members

Nancy Kaye

New Surviving Spouse member.

Nancy was widowed 3 years ago in December. LTC John Kaye USA retired from the Army 26 years.



Nancy met John in 1982 in Bellingham after his first wife passed away in 1981. They were married February 20, 1983 and had a wonderful partnership for 37 years.

Nancy had been overseas for 10 years with the DOD School system as a School Nurse with assignments in Sasebo, Japan; Tokyo, Japan; Okinawa, Hanau, Germany; Asmara, Ethiopia; and 6 years in Rota, Spain. Nancy and John had been to many of the same places, just at different times.

They bought 10 acres and John developed the Eagle Wings Farm and 3 agricultural businesses in his retirement.

Nancy was a nurse for Chemical Dependency, Mental Health at St. Joseph Medical Center, in Bellingham many years.

She is now involved with Church friends as a Medical Mission Sister Associate, meet with others virtually, and sing one or more times a week with Bellingham Threshold Singers. We sing for Hospice clients and other thresholds of life with 2-4 singers going to the bedside of clients.

Kaye has three stepsons and an unofficially adopted Mexican daughter, 12 grandkids from them and 7 great grand kids.

Kay at 82 is mostly healthy and at home in Birch Bay with two beautiful, almost 14-year-old cats. She says she would love to meet all the WICMOAA family and plans to venture down in the future.

Lori Rhodenbaugh

New Associate Member

Lori is the wife of CAPT Ralph Rhodenbaugh USN (Ret.) a long-term member of WICMOAA.

Lori and Ralph are snowbirds and presently in Texas. Lori is looking to become more active in WICMOAA. If you know Lori, you know WICMOAA can clearly use her energy she brings to any organization.

Membership

Do you know an active duty, former or retired officer of one of the eight uniformed services?

Do you know the Surviving Spouse of an active duty, former or retired officer of one of the eight uniformed services?

Do they belong to MOAA?

They could belong to MOAA and WICMOAA?

MOAA advocates for their pay and benefits in Washington DC.

WICMOAA advocates for their pay and benefits in Olympia.

Our numbers count when MOAA or WICMOAA and the other nine chapters in Washington advocate.

We all need to do ourselves and families a great service and help increase MOAA and WICMOAA membership.

**THE LARGER OUR NUMBERS,
THE GREATER YOUR VOICE.**
Why MOAA chapter membership matters.




We are Watching out for Your

Pay	Retirement	Benefits
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Join MOAA
Free Basic Membership




Treasurer's Report

Here is a summary of significant 2023 financial activity:
Financial update for 2024:



For the period January 1 - February 22, 2024			
Revenue			
General Operations			
Dues	\$	852.00	
Investment interest	\$	79.30	
Payments collected for meals/mtg	\$	758.50	Jan & Feb mtgs
	\$	1,689.80	
Donations			
Scholarships	\$	242.50	
JROTC Sponsorship	\$	45.50	
	\$	288.00	
Fundraising			
Theater Event (ticket sales)	\$	25.00	
Raffles	\$	(172.00)	Net of jackpot payout
	\$	(147.00)	
Total Revenue		\$ 1,830.80	
Expenses / Program Support			
General Administration			
Liability Insurance	\$	299.00	
Postal Expense	\$	66.00	
Credit Card Fees	\$	29.01	
WA State Council of Chapters dues	\$	29.00	
President's expenses	\$	68.97	
	\$	491.98	
Chapter Meetings			
Meeting Venue	\$	100.00	
Member meals	\$	719.00	
	\$	819.00	
Total Expenses and Program Support		\$ 1,310.98	
Net Revenues		\$ 519.82	

Dues: The weather has been beautiful the past few days, so that should make us all feel a little happier and eager to pay our annual dues! The WICMOAA “dues year” begins in October, and we are at 73% of members being paid up for 2024. I have no record of the following individuals paying dues for 2024:

Bailey	Blue	Boissonneault	Bristow
Carnes	Connors	Cutter	Enright-Karr
Field	Fitzgerald	Greenlee	Gruber
Hickey	Lura	Malone	Patton
Russell	Schalde	Tollefson	Wilde
Yount			

You can pay: -- Online at

<https://wicmoaa.com/orders/ols/categories/dues-for-membership>

-- Mail a check to WICMOAA, P.O. Box 255, Oak Harbor, WA 98277

-- Bring a check or cash to a Chapter meeting and pay the Treasurer directly.

If you are on this list but believe you have paid for 2024, please contact me.

It's Income Tax Season! Along with the anticipation of nicer Spring weather comes the fun of doing your income taxes. Did you know there are several free resources to help you do your taxes?

If you have questions about WICMOAA money, give me a call at (240)577-0213 or send an email to katherine.d.c.erb@gmail.com

Oak Harbor Library	Mondays 1:00 - 7:00PM, Tuesdays 9:30AM - 5:00PM	Appointments can be made in person at the site with the Tax-Aide volunteers or by calling (360) 279-4580. https://www.sno-isle.org/blogs/post/tax-time/
Coupeville Library	Wednesdays 10:00AM - 5:00 PM	For appointments call (360) 678-3000. https://www.sno-isle.org/blogs/post/tax-time/
The Center in Oak Harbor	Wednesdays 9:00AM – 4:30 PM	For appointments call (360) 279-4580. https://www.oakharbor.gov/365/AARP-Tax-Aide
Island Senior Resources, Langley	Thursdays 1:00 – 7:00PM	Appointments are recommended. Leave your name and telephone number and a volunteer will return your call. Walk-ins will be accepted if time permits. For appointments call (360) 678-3000.
United Methodist Church, Anacortes	Mondays 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM, Wednesdays 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM	For appointments call 360-474-7731.
Camano Center	Mondays, 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM	Appointments made when picking up Taxpayer Packets at Camano Center. Taxpayer Packet contains forms which must be completed before your appointment. For appointments call (360) 387-0222.
Lincoln Hill Retirement Community, Stanwood	Tuesdays 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM, Thursdays 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM	Appointments made when picking up Taxpayer Packets at Lincoln Hill Retirement Community, Monday to Friday from 10am to 2pm. Taxpayer Packet contains forms which must be completed before your appointment. For appointments call (360) 629-7403

Members in the Spotlight:

Looking for Volunteers

Where are you from originally?

What did you do in the military?

How many Years did you Serve?

Favorite duty station/assignment(s)?

Family?

How did you end up here?

What do you enjoy doing now?

What would you like to see the chapter do next?

Send in your spotlight info soon.



WA Legislative Update

**Terry Sparks, President
WSCOC**



**Key Bills being considered
by Congress.**

**Please Show your advocacy
support for all military by
going to <https://moaa.quorum.us/> and making
a commitment on the bills.**

H.R. 1282: Major Richard Star Act

H.R. 1139: GUARD VA Benefits Act

H.R. 1277: Military Spouse Hiring Act

H.R. 5641: Pay Our Troops Act

H.R. 4335: VA Loan Informed Disclosure Act of
2023

H.R. 1045: Health Care Fairness for Military
Families Act of 2023

H.R. 1413: Expanding America's National Cemetery
Act of 2023

H.R. 542: Elizabeth Dole Home Care Act of 2023

S. 344: Major Richard Star Act

H.R. 1083: Caring for Survivors Act of 2023

H.R. 2693: Pay Our Coast Guard Parity Act of 2023

H.R. 2537: BAH Restoration Act

S. 596: Military Spouse Hiring Act

H.R. 1763: Military Family Nutrition Act of 2023

H.R. 984: Commitment to Veteran Support and
Outreach Act



H.R. 3651: Love Lives On Act of 2023

S. 740: GUARD VA Benefits Act of 2023

H.R. 1591: To amend section 7014 of the Elementary
and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to advance
toward full Federal funding for impact aid, and for
other purposes.

H.R. 1278: DRIVE Act

S. 1527: Access to Contraception for
Servicemembers and Dependents Act of 2023

S. 1266: Love Lives On Act of 2023

S. 141: Elizabeth Dole Home Care Act

H.R. 3617: To amend title 10, United States Code, to
expand the authority to provide a wig and treat traction
alopecia under the TRICARE program, and for other
purposes.

H.R. 1764: Military Food Security Act of 2023

H.R. 3933: TAP Promotion Act

S. 1515: Retired Pay Restoration Act

S. 414: Caring for Survivors Act of 2023

H.R. 5249: Coast Guard Academy Safe-to-Report Parity
Act

H.R. 1815: Expanding Veterans' Options for Long Term
Care Act

S. 2835: Pay Our Military Act of 2023

S. 497: Military Family Nutrition Access Act of 2023

H.R. 6179: Home for the Brave Act of 2023

S. 1119: CHAMPVA Children's Care Protection Act of
2023

H.R. 2818: Autonomy for Disabled Veterans Act

H.R. 2414: CHAMPVA Children's Care Protection Act of
2023

At the MOAA Legislative Action Center

<https://moaa.quorum.us/>

Our Military Friends Events

PBY Museum

No information this month.

VFW Post 7392 Oak Harbor

Cosmic Bingo every Friday night starting at 6PM.

Association of Naval Aviation

Whidbey Island Squadron

Next Meeting: **Tuesday March 12th** Luncheon 1130, VFW. Featuring: Program: “Ukraine, the current situation”

March 14th Brief

“Iraq Diary 2006/2007: The Life & Ministry of an Air Force Chaplain.” Brief by Lt. Col. Jeff Neuberger

Colonel Neuberger’s brief will provide some history and information as to how the institution of the military chaplaincy is an accommodation to the Constitution.

During his time on active-duty Col. Neuberger acquired some great photos while in Iraq and will share the best of those photos of his deployment in Iraq during 2006-2007.

Colonel Neuberger will also include his perspectives and photos from ministry in the combat hospital and his day-to-day experiences of a deployment in a combat zone.

Colonel Neuberger moved to Oak Harbor in 2021. He is married and has three children and eight grandchildren. His hobbies include Photography, Hiking, and Kayaking.

Intruder Association

Planning is now underway for the next **national rendezvous** for April 9 – 13, 2024 in San Diego, CA. For more information contact Howard Gulley.
gulleys@wavecable.com

Navy League

Next Meeting **Tuesday March 5th**, 11:30 at the Elks Lodge. The speaker will be CWO4 Anthony Slowik, USCG and Oak Harbor Chief of Police.

All WICMOAA members should consider coming to a Navy League meeting to show their support for NASWI.

Military Service

U.S. Navy

U.S. Navy Reserve –

Petty Officer 2nd Class

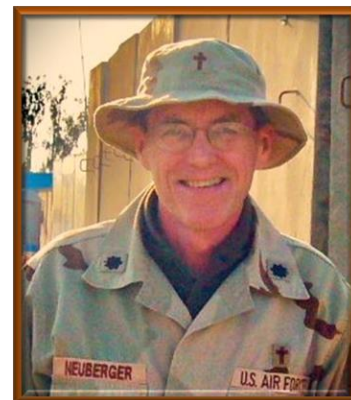
SD Air National Guard

Staff Sergeant

Air Force Reserve /Air

Force

Lt Colonel



AF Assignments

California, Spain, North Dakota, Delaware, Germany, Georgia, Washington

Retired: 2008 as Wing Chaplain, Fairchild AFB

Home State: *South Dakota*

Education: *Bachelor's degree in history; Master of Divinity*

Air Force Education

Squadron Officer School,

Air Command and Staff College

Air War College

RSVP for Chapter Meeting, Pay 2024 dues and Donate to Scholarship/JROTC

The WICMOAA Chapter meeting will be held on March 14th at the Whidbey Golf Club (WGC), 2430 SW Fairway Lane, Oak Harbor, WA.

Need Directions? <https://wicmoaa.com/map-to-chapter-meetings>

Lunch starts at 11:30 and the meeting followed by the brief starts at noon. RSVP is required.

WICMOAA Members, MOAA Members, Friends and active duty are always welcome.

Use the attached coupon to pay WICMOAA dues, donate, pay for lunch, and/or the Playhouse event in May.

OR go to: <https://wicmoaa.com/orders> to pay online with a credit card.



Selections		Cost by Check		Number	Total
BL	Blue Ticket: Salisbury Steak, Mashed potatoes, gravy, string beans	\$19.50	X		= \$
GR	Green Ticket: Chicken Cesar Salad	\$19.50	X		= \$
RD	Red Ticket: Chili and a roll	\$10.00	X		= \$
Playhouse Tickets, WICMOAA Member & Spouse \$25/person					= \$
Playhouse Tickets, WICMOAA Family and Friends \$10/person					= \$
Scholarship Fund \$3,000					= \$
JROTC Fund \$1,000					= \$
2024 Dues, \$25 for Regular and Associate, \$15 for Surviving Spouse					= \$
Other, Books Shirts,					= \$
Total Amount Sent					= \$

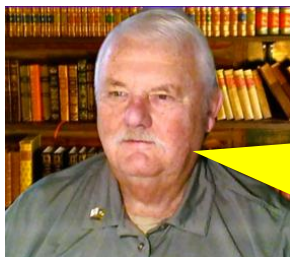
The cost of the meal includes Coffee or Tea and includes the tip for the weight staff. If you have a special diet consideration, let us know. WGC is a very friendly place, and another option may be available.

It costs a bit more on the website to cover the credit card clearing charge, but it is so easy and done in minutes. No trip to the post office is needed and people steal checks these days from mailboxes, modify them and put the money in their account as reported by several members.

<https://wicmoaa.com/orders>

Don't forget our kids Scholarship and two JROTC support funds. Adding a few dollars to your meal every month will clearly help these funds.

If you do not have a copy of our books, they are a great read of our members' adventures on active duty. We would also love to have your stories in volume III. Send your stories to wic.moaa@gmail.com



**We should all
be a MOAA
and WICMOAA
Member?**

**If you are, or were, part of the 8
uniformed services, it is important
that congress hear your voice.**

**The numbers count when
MOAA representatives go to
Congress, or we go to Olympia
to advocate your you.**

We are Watching Out for Your Pay, Benefits, Retirement

**Join MOAA's Free Basic Membership
and/or WICMOAA using one of the
links below.**



<https://wicmoaa.com/links>



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